

RESOLUTION NO. ____

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO PREPARE AN IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF THE CITY MEASURE TO BE PLACED ON THE BALLOT FOR THE NOVEMBER 4, 2008, SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION OF THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

WHEREAS, a Special Municipal Election is to be held in the City of Santa Barbara on November 4, 2008, at which there will be submitted to the voters the following measure:

CITY OF SANTA BARBARA					
MEASURE ____ 2008	<table border="1"><tr><td>YES</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>NO</td><td></td></tr></table>	YES		NO	
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Shall Santa Barbara adopt an ordinance reducing the telecommunications utility users tax from 6% to 5.75%, to fund police, fire, 911, parks/recreation, gang prevention and after school programs for at-risk youth, senior services, street/pothole repairs, public transit, and other general fund services; exempting low-income seniors; prohibiting a tax rate increase without voter approval; equal treatment of taxpayers regardless of technology, annual audits, public review of expenditures and local control of all revenue?					

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The City Council directs the City Clerk to transmit a copy of the measure and proposed ordinance to the City Attorney. The City Attorney shall prepare an impartial analysis of the measure and ordinance showing the effect of the ordinance on the existing law and the operation of the City measure. The impartial analysis shall be filed by the date set by the City Clerk for the filing of arguments.